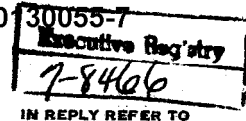




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MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

Subj: Proposed Exchange of U.S. and USSR Naval Visits

Ref: (a) Memorandum for the Record, subj: "Soviet Naval
Attache to U.S.; call on CNO", of 30 Dec 1955

1. The purpose of this memorandum is to inform holders of reference (a) as to the outcome of the informal proposal for an exchange of U.S. and USSR naval visits, made by the Soviet Naval Attache during his call on me on 29 Dec 1955.

2. After discussions with the State Department, it has been concluded that the proposed exchange under present conditions would not at this time be in the best interests of the United States. Accordingly, I have informed the Soviet Naval Attache by letter that an exchange of naval visits is not considered propitious at the present time.

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